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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT FOR PTO MISTAKE (37 CFR 1.322(a))

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Following are the pages and line numbers where the errors occur in the application file:

In the application, at page 2, line 17 reads as "field, based". However, in the printed patent, at column 1, line 61, the corresponding passage reads as "field; based". Please correct this error to show the correct punctuation as "field, based" to correct this Printing Office error.

In the application, at page 19, line 4 reads as "128, respectively". However, in the printed patent, at column 10, line 37 the corresponding passage reads as "128; respectively". Please

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In the application, at page 31, line 15 of claim 18, the claim reads as "communicating from the handheld unit" as printed as renumbered claim 1 in the issued patent at column 14, line 24. However, in the Examiner's Amendment included with the Notice of Allowance of January 27, 2005, the Examiner amended the corresponding passage in the claim to read as "communicating from the programmable unit". Please correct this error to reflect the changes made by the Examiner's Amendment of January 27, 2005 to correct this Printing Office error.

In the application, at page 32, line 1 of claim 22, the claim reads as "wherein said communication occurs" as printed as renumbered claim 5 in the patent at column 14, line 48. However, in the Examiner's Amendment included with the Notice of Allowance of January 27, 2005, the Examiner amended the corresponding passage in the claim to read as "wherein said communicating occurs". Please correct this error to reflect the changes made by the Examiner's Amendment of January 27, 2005 to correct this Printing Office error.

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